

VOLUNTEER-IN-PARKS APPLICATION

Timucuan Ecological and Historic Preserve

Fort Caroline National Memorial
12713 Fort Caroline Road
Jacksonville, FL 32225
(904) 641-7155

Kingsley Plantation
11676 Palmetto Avenue
Jacksonville, FL 32226
(904) 251-3537

Ribault Club
Timucuan Trail State and
National Parks
(904) 251-3537

The Timucuan Volunteer-in-Parks Program

The Volunteer Program with the Preserve has been ongoing for many years. Traditionally, volunteers have worked in either long or short-term assignments in the following areas: Visitor Center management, building and trail maintenance, living history reenactments, natural resource special projects, word processing/clerical, special events staff, exhibit/trail construction, and museum services. Volunteers annually donate well over 8,000 hours in helping the Preserve meet its mission of preserving, interpreting, and protecting the cultural and natural resources within its boundaries.

Volunteer assignments are generally available in one or more of the following use areas: Fort Caroline National Memorial, Theodore Roosevelt Area, Kingsley Plantation, the Ribault Club, and Cedar Point.

1. NAME _____ DATE _____

2. ADDRESS _____

3. CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

4. TELEPHONE: (Home) _____ (Work) _____

5. EMAIL: _____

If you are under 18 years of age, a consent form must be completed and signed by a guardian.

6. In which of the general volunteer work categories listed below are you most interested?

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| _____ Office/Clerical | _____ Trails Maintenance | _____ Computers |
| _____ Visitor Information | _____ Interpretation/Tour Guide | _____ Other (specify) |
| _____ Museum/Curatorial | _____ Construction/Maintenance | |
| _____ Publications/Exhibits | _____ Special programs such as music or living history | |

7. What qualifications/skills/experience/education do you have that you would like to use in volunteer work?

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|------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| _____ Teaching | _____ Clerical/Office Equipt. | _____ Writing/Editing |
| _____ Carpentry | _____ Drafting/Graphic | _____ Photography |
| _____ Hand/Power Tools | _____ Public Speaking | _____ Landscaping |
| _____ Driver's License | _____ Supervision | _____ Museum Studies |

If you have any special needs, feel free to contact a ranger or attach an extra page to this application.

8. Based on the items checked above, what particular type of volunteer work would you like to do? Please describe any particular skill, experience, etc., which may apply.

9. Please describe any previous volunteer experience.

10. What are some of the objectives you would like to achieve in volunteering.

11. Please circle which day(s) per week you wish to volunteer:

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

12. If interested, please circle the months you would be available for a long-term volunteer assignment (i.e., 2-3 months at 32 hours per week in no cost housing at Kingsley or Fort Caroline, or 24 hours per week while living on the RV pad at Fort Caroline).

January February March April May June
July August September October November December

13. How many hours per week or month would you be available on a continuing ongoing basis as a local volunteer? (Minimum of four hours required on a monthly basis.)

_____ hours scheduled weekly and/or _____ hours scheduled monthly

14. Do you have transportation available? _____ Yes _____ No

15. References: List two non-related persons who have definite knowledge of your qualifications, fitness, and interest in the area of volunteer work for which you are applying.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

For more information on the volunteer program, please contact Brian Loadholtz at
Fort Caroline, 904-641-7155, or Kingsley Plantation, 904-251-3537.